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TO AMEMBASSY AMMAN IMMEDIATE

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SECTO 0131

FROM ATHERTON

E.O. 11652: XGDS

TAGS: MASS, JO

SUBJECT: FMS CREDITS FOR JORDAN

REF: STATE 090856

1. RE PARA 2 REFTTEL, WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING ANY INFORMATION EMBASSY AMMAN CAN DEVELOP ABOUT JORDANIAN EFFORTS TO OBTAIN SAUDI FUNDING AS BACKGROUND FOR OUR ANTICIPATED VISIT TO RIYAD. DEPENDING UPON WHAT INFORMATION EMBASSY AMMAN PROVIDES, WE WILL TAKE OCCASION OF VISIT, IF SUITABLE OPPORTUNITY ARISES, TO BROACH WITH SAUDIS QUESTION OF THEIR FINANCING JORDANIAN FMS CREDITS.

2. EMBASSY AMMAN IS ALSO AUTHORIZED TO SOUND OUT IN PRELIMINARY WAY WITH GOJ QUESTION OF REACHING UNDERSTANDING WITH JORDANIANS ON SOURCE AND MODALITIES OF FINANCING FOR FMS CREDIT (PARA 3B AMMAN 2515). WE CAN THEN DISCUSS THIS FURTHER WITH EMBASSY DURING FORTHCOMING AMMAN VISIT. KISSINGER

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